

**Amendments to the Abstract:**

Please substitute the new Abstract of the Disclosure submitted herewith  
on a separate page for the original Abstract presently in the application.

**Abstract**

An A-pillar on a motor vehicle is provided with a windshield flange for the securing of a windshield. The A-pillar is of single-part design in the region of the windshield and a wall region forming the windshield flange bounds a hollow cross section of the A-pillar. The windshield can be integrated indirectly in the A-pillar, which leads to a reduction in viewing angle obscuration.